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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2005, please the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in the above-identified U.S. patent application.

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.